

COMBINED DECLARATION & POWER OF ATTORNEY
FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **WINTER GOLF SHOE SPIKES**, the specification of which

[X] was filed on NOVEMBER 8, _____, 1993 as Application Serial No. 08/149,193 and was amended on _____.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, section 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, section 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s):

Priority Claimed

<u>N/A</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
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<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)		

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, section 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined by Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, section 1.56(a) which

occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

<u>07/872,819</u>	<u>04/24/92</u>	<u>Pending</u>
(Application Serial No.)	(Filing Date)	(Status - Patented, Pending, Abandoned)

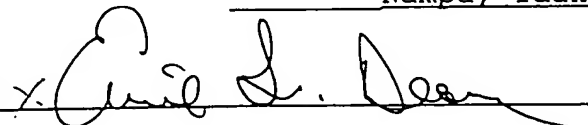
I hereby appoint the following attorney and/or agent to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trade-mark Office connected therewith: Frank J. Dykas, Attorney at Law, Reg. No. 28,072, Ken J. Pedersen, Attorney at law, Reg. No. 29,689, and Craig M. Korfanta, Attorney at law, Reg. No. 33,255, 877 W. Main Street, Suite 603, Boise, Idaho 83702. Any telephone communication should be addressed to (208) 345-1122.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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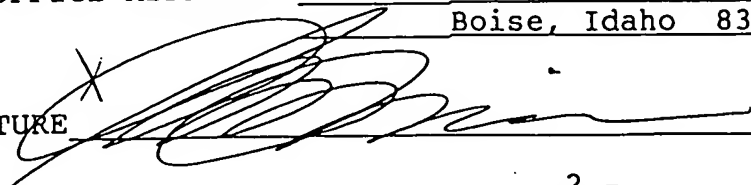
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the PATENT Application of

Ernie L. Deacon, et al.

Serial No.: Not Yet Assigned

Filed: Herewith

For: Golf Shoe Cleat

REVOCATION OF POWER OF ATTORNEY
AND APPOINTMENT OF NEW ATTORNEY

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Ira C. Edell, a duly authorized attorney for Softspikes, Inc. hereby revokes all former Powers of Attorney and hereby appoints the following attorneys to prosecute this application and transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and with the resulting patent:

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the PATENT application of

Ernie L. Deacon et al.

Serial No.: Not Yet Assigned - (Continuation of 08/149,193, filed November 8, 1993)

Filed: Herewith

For: Golf Shoe Cleat

STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR§3.73(b)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The undersigned, a duly authorized attorney for Softspikes, Inc., hereby states he is authorized to act in all matters affecting the above-referenced subject application on behalf of Softspikes, Inc., and that Softspikes, Inc. is the owner of the continuation applicaiton filed herewith and identified above as evidenced by the following attached documents:

a. Notice of Recordation of Assignment of parent Application Serial No. 08/149,193 from the Inventors to "Warm Springs Golf Club, Inc." at reel 6857, frame 0516 (see attached).

b. Notice of Recordation of Assignment of Application Serial No. 08149,193 from "Warm Springs Golf Club, Inc." to "Action Marketing, Inc." at reel 7329, frame 0207 (see attached).

c. Change of Name documentation (4 sheets) showing change from "Action Marketing, Inc." to "Softspikes, Inc." filed in parent Application Serial No. 08/149,193.

Respectfully submitted,



Ira C. Edell
Attorney for Softspikes, Inc.

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2495 WARM SPRINGS AVE. BOISE, ID 83712

SERIAL NUMBER 8-149193 FILING DATE 11/08/93
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ASSIGNEE:

ACTION MARKETING, INC.
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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.

1. Name of conveying party(ies):

Action Marketing, Inc.

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Softspikes, Inc.

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: Suite 102

401 East Jefferson Street

City: Rockville State: MD ZIP: 20850

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- ☐ Assignment ☐ Merger
☐ Security Agreement ☒ Change of Name
☐ Other _____

Execution Date(s): February 22, 1994

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date(s) of the application is/are:

and the attorney docket number is: _____

A. Patent Application No(s): 08/149,193
08/438,898

B. Patent No(s): 5,259,129
5,367,793

Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: Fish & Neave

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved:

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7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41) \$ 160.00

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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Jeffrey H. Ingerman

Name of Person Signing

Reg. No. 31,069

Signature

Date

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State Corporation Commission

I Certify the Following from the Records of the Commission:

the foregoing is a true copy of the ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT of SOFTSPIKES, INC. issued February 22, 1994.

Nothing more is hereby certified.



Signed and Sealed at Richmond
on this Date: December 13, 1995

William J. Bridge
William J. Bridge, Clerk of the Commission

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

February 22, 1996

The State Corporation Commission has found the accompanying
articles submitted on behalf of

SOFTSPIRES, INC.
(FORMERLY ACTION MARKETING, INC.)

to comply with the requirements of law, and confirms payment of
all related fees.

Therefore, it is ORDERED that this

CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT

be issued and admitted to record with the articles of amendment in
the Office of the Clerk of the Commission, effective February 22,
1996 at 07:41 AM.

The corporation is granted the authority conferred on it by law in
accordance with the articles, subject to the conditions and
restrictions imposed by law.

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AMENDMENT
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ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT
OF
THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
ACTION MARKETING, INC.

February 16, 1994

On February 15, 1994, by a consent in writing that set forth the proposed amendment, the sole Incorporator of the corporation consented to the amendment to its Articles of Incorporation stating that the name of the corporation shall be changed to

SOFTSPIKES, INC.

The amendment was adopted by the Incorporator without shareholder action, and no shareholder action was required.

EXECUTED in the name of the corporation by the undersigned Incorporator, who declares that the facts herein stated are true.

DATED this February 16, 1994.

ACTION MARKETING, INC.

By: Welby & Blair, P.C., its Incorporator

By: 
Managing Director